PHNL030912 PCT/IB2004/051224

13

CLAIMS:

10

15

- 1. A method, for a receiver (105, 107, 109, 111) adapted for receiving broadcasted signal (103) from a broadcaster (101), of handling the execution of a first independent feature, where at least a part of feature data (A, B, C, D), needed to execute said first independent feature, is comprised in said broadcasted signal together with feature data needed to execute at least a second independent feature (A, B, C, D), and wherein said feature data are broadcasted as data carousels, the method comprising the steps of:
 - receiving instructions identifying said first feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified first feature is to be executed,
 - loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature into memory of said receiver,
 - executing said identified feature.
- 2. A method according to claim 1, wherein the step of loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature, into memory of said receiver comprises the step of:
 - mounting the data carousel comprising the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature,
 - creating a class loader being dedicated to said first feature.
- 20 3. A method according to claim 1, wherein the method further comprises the steps of:
 - receiving instructions identifying a feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified feature is to be terminated,
 - terminating said feature,
- removing the feature data, related to said identified feature, from memory of said
 receiver.
 - 4. A method according to claim 3, wherein the step of removing the feature data, related to said identified feature, from memory of said receiver comprises the steps of:

PHNL030912 PCT/IB2004/051224

14

- unmounting the data carousel comprising the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature and removing it from the memory,
- removing all references to the class loader being dedicated to said first feature and removing it from the memory.

5

- 5. A method according to claim 1, wherein the instructions identifying said first independent feature is received from the broadcaster.
- 6. A method according to claim 1, wherein the instructions identifying said first independent feature is received from a user communicating with the receiver.
 - 7. A method according to claim 6, wherein the receiver presents an identification of at least a part of said broadcasted independent features to said user and the instructions identifying said first independent feature is based on said presentation.

15

20

- 8. A method, for a broadcaster adapted to transmit a broadcast signal, of broadcasting a first independent feature to be executed by a receiver, where at least a part of the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature is comprised in said broadcaster signal together with feature data needed to execute at least a second independent feature, and wherein said feature data are broadcasted as data carousels, the method comprising the step of broadcasting feature data needed to execute a third independent feature, where said third independent feature enables the receiver to handle the execution of said first independent feature by:
- receiving instructions identifying said first feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified first feature is to be executed,
 - loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature, into memory of said receiver,
 - executing said identified feature.
- 30 9. A receiver (105, 107, 109, 111, 206) adapted for receiving broadcasted signal from a broadcaster (101, 200), where the receiver is adapted for handling the execution of a first independent feature, where at least a part of the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature is comprised in said broadcaster signal together with feature data needed

PHNL030912 PCT/IB2004/051224

15

to execute at least a second independent feature, and wherein said feature data are broadcasted as data carousels, the receiver comprising:

- means (401) for receiving instructions identifying said first feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified first feature is to be executed.
- means (401) for loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature, into memory of said receiver,
- means (401) for executing said identified feature.

5

20

- 10. A broadcaster (101, 200, 300, 403) adapted to transmit a broadcast signal, adapted for broadcasting a first independent feature to be executed by a receiver, where at least a part of the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature is comprised in said broadcaster signal together with feature data needed to execute at least a second independent feature, and wherein said feature data are broadcasted as data carousels, the broadcaster comprises means for broadcasting feature data needed to execute a third independent feature, where said third independent feature enables the receiver to handle the execution of said first independent feature by:
 - receiving instructions identifying said first feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified first feature is to be executed,
 - loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature, into memory of said receiver,
 - executing said identified feature.
- 11. A broadcast signal (103) for broadcasting a first independent feature to be executed by a receiver, where at least a part of the feature data needed to execute said first independent feature is comprised in said broadcaster signal together with feature data needed to execute at least a second independent feature, and wherein said feature data are broadcasted as data carousels, the broadcaster signal further comprises feature data needed to execute a third independent feature, where said third independent feature enables the receiver to handle the execution of said first independent feature by:
 - receiving instructions identifying said first feature, wherein the instructions further comprise an identification that the identified first feature is to be executed,
 - loading, from the data carousel, the feature data related to said first feature, into memory of said receiver,

PHNL030912 PCT/IB2004/051224

16

- executing said identified feature.